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Title: COMPOSITIONS FOR INHALATION

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Enclosed are the following papers, including those required to receive a filing date under 37 CFR §1.53(b):

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### Enclosures:

- Form PTO-1449, 10 pages, listing documents cited in the parent applications. Please confirm that these have been considered in this application by returning a copy of the Form PTO-1449 with the examiner's initials. Copies of the references listed on the Form PTO-1449 can be found in the file of parent application no. 08/736,267.
- Information Disclosure Statement, 1 page.
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- True copy of certified copy of Swedish Patent Application No. 9400371-2, 16 pages.
- True copy of certified copy of Swedish Patent Application No. 9302198-8, 8 pages.
- Postcard.

This application is a continuation (and claims the benefit of priority under 35 U.S.C. §120) of U.S. Patent Application No. 08/736,267, filed October 24, 1996, which is a continuation of U.S. Patent Application No. 08/265,237, filed June 23, 1994, now abandoned. The disclosure of the prior applications are considered part of (and are incorporated by reference in) the disclosure of this application.

This application further claims the benefit of Swedish Patent Application No. 9400371-2, filed February 4, 1994, and Swedish Patent Application No. 9302198-8, filed June 24, 1993. True copies of the certified copies of the foreign priority applications are enclosed.

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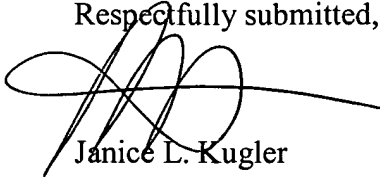
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